



UNDERDOG
SPORTS LEAGUES®



Bocce Ball

rules and regulations

Underdog Bocce Ball Rules

A Team Size

- ▶ Bocce is played w/ 6 players (ideally 3m/3F) per team.
- ▶ Teams need a minimum of 2/2 to avoid forfeit
- ▶ Any additional subs can come into the match between games
- ▶ Teams are allowed up to 2 subs from other teams up to 6 total people.

B Game Play

- ▶ Ro-Sham-Bo winner will decide between rolling the pallino or rolling first.
- ▶ 4 team members (2m/2f) from each team will gather at one end of the court with any additional people at the opposite end being "spotters"
- ▶ Each Team member will get 1 ball to throw. Throws will alternate b/w teams.
- ▶ Once all balls are rolled and scored, 2 of the 4 rollers should switch ends to roll from the other end. Teams should rotate rollers so that everyone rolls 2 out of 3 games. (Teams playing with 5 will have 3 of their 4 switch ends, teams with 4 will have all 4 switch ends)



- ▶ The score from that round/inning will be recorded on a score sheet.
- ▶ The next 4 to throw will repeat steps 2-5 moving in the opposite direction they just went.

C Scoring

- ▶ Teams will get 1pt for each of their balls that are closer to the pallino than the other team's closest ball at the end of the round. If RED has 2 balls closer to the pallino than green's closest ball they will receive 2 points.
- ▶ If a team's ball is touching the pallino at the end of the round that team will receive 2 points in addition to any other scoring balls.
- ▶ Official judgment's will be made by the Underdog Supervisor

D Illegal Throws

- ▶ The Pallino must travel over ½ the court length to be legal.
- ▶ A thrown Bocce Ball must not make contact with the back wall without first touching the pallino or another bocce ball.
- ▶ Side walls can be used at anytime.
- ▶ All thrown balls must be rolled, not above waist high.
- ▶ Any illegal throws will result in the ball being removed from play before the next throw.
- ▶ Games will be played to 7 points – with as many games as possible being played in the 55 minute game time.

**REMEMBER EVERYONE: THIS IS FOR FUN.
PLAY SAFE!!!**

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